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FOR: MISS ALBA DIANE PLESIA

174 PINEHURST AVENUE

NEW YORK CITY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CDES (PLESCIA, VINCENT AMEDEO)

SUBJ: DEATH OF VINCENT AMEDEO PLESCIA - RENOUNCED AMERICAN
NATIONALITY

1. IT IS WITH DEEP REGRET THAT WE MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH
OF YOUR FATHER, VINCENT AMEDEO PLESCIA. THE SAN FILIPPO NERI
HOSPITAL IN ROME WHERE YOU FATHER WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR ABOUT
ONE MONTH, INFORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, ROME ON SEPTEMBER 13
THAT HE HAD DIED ON SEPTEMBER

4. THE HOSPITAL WAS UNABLE TO REACH YOU AND REQUESTED THE
EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE. THE CAUSE OF DEATH WAS NOT GIVEN.

2. YOUR FATHER'S REMAINS ARE STILL IN THE HOSPITAL PENDING
INSTRUCTIONS FOR DISPOSITION.

3. YOU MAY WISH CONTACT HOSPITAL DIRECTLY AND AUTHORIZE
THEM TAKE CARE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS.

4. IF YOU PREFER EMBASSY CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS PLEASE
INFORM WHETHER YOU PREFER LOCAL BURIAL OR SHIPMENT OF REMAINS
TO US. IF SO, PREPARATION OF THE BODY AND AIR SHIPMENT TO NEW
YORK WOULD COST \$1400. CREMATION AND AIR SHIPMENT TO NEW YORK
WOULD COST \$650. IF LOCAL BURIAL IS DESIRED THE COST WOULD
BE \$350. THE COYTHOF CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL WOULD BE \$550.
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5. IF YOU DECIDE EMBASSY SHOULD BE INCHARGE OF FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS PLEASE TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTION SPROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY ROME, GIVING THE NAME OF THE DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE. STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELEGRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF US FUNERAL HOME YOU HAVE SELECTED IF SHIPMENT DESIRED. ALSO PLEASE TELEGRAPH REQUIRED FUNDS SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY THROUGH THE NEAREST OFFICE OF AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY FOR TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFER TO AMERICAN EXPRESS ROME, SPECIFYING THAT FUNDS ARE TO CREDITED TO AMERICAN EMBASSY ROME FOR THE CASE OF VINCENTO AMEDEO PLESCIA.

6. IF YOU ARE HAVING REMAINS SHIPPED TO US YOU MAY WISH TO HAVE THE US FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE ALL ABOVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

7. PLEASE ACCEPT OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.
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